

RESOLUTION NO. 06-30

WHEREAS, Governor Gregoire appointed Lance Kissler to serve as the student member of the Higher Education Coordinating Board for the term July 2005 to June 2006; and

WHEREAS, At the time of his appointment, Lance was pursuing a Master of Science in Communications at Eastern Washington University, which subsequently earned him a position at Eastern as New Media and Online Communications Specialist; and

WHEREAS, Lance has been very engaged in board business, diligently attending regular board meetings, committee meetings, and advisory council meetings; and

WHEREAS, At his own initiative, Lance arranged student outreach meetings on campuses throughout the state, providing a public forum for students to learn more about higher education issues, the role of the HECB, and the process the Governor's office uses to appoint student members to the HECB; and

WHEREAS, As a member of the board's financial aid committee, Lance demonstrated a strong commitment to helping our state's neediest students by consistently advocating for affordable higher education and expanded opportunity for all students;

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That the members and staff of the Higher Education Coordinating Board extend to Lance Kissler their thanks and appreciation for his time, commitment, and dedication to higher education, and wish him continued success.

Adopted:

September 27, 2006

Attest:

Gene Colin, Chair

Bill Grinstein, Vice Chair

Jesus Hernandez, Secretary

Roberta Greene

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